LIMA, OHIO, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 13, 1905.

FOUR WEEKS 25 CENTS

The Evening Daily News Has a Larger Circulation In The City Of Lima Than Any Other Paper.

WORLD AWAITS BREATHLESSLY THE RESULT OF NAVAL ENCOUNTER

Russian and Japanese Admirals Evidently Holding Sea Dogs in Lash Until All is in Readiness for Tremendous Battle in Eastern Waters.

SO TIGHTLY

Was the Woman Laced that the Doctor Could Hardly Get Her Clothing Off and She Died.

O'Connor, a traveling saleman. Mrs. leaton a hearty dinner.

shortly afterward. her made this statement:

tacing is believed to be the cause Ali her ciothes, in fact, were very of the sudden death last night of Mrs. (light, so tight that I had hard work Violet O'Connor, a guest at the Wash- loosening them after she was carried ington Hotel and wife of John H. into my office. She had apparently O'Connor fell unconscious and died clothes and rapid walking naturally forced a large quantity of food to Dr. William Nifong, who attended the brain, causing cerebal hemorrh-

Despite the various rumors of en- an opportunity of getting into fight, things were prepared. The battle counters between the Russians and ing trim after their long cruise. Then may take place today or in a week Japanese ficers, it is doubtful if any perhaps, the Russian admiral is giv- from now. The absolute silence of engagement of any importance has ing portions of his fleet time to as- are located some place in the China courred. It is not likely that either semble for the final stroke. Japan sea, probably between Borneo and the Japan or Russia will rush into the is no doubt preparing for the coming Anambas Islands. The fact that the sea battle without becoming prepar- fray with as much care as Russia, expected naval battle is likely to oced in every way. Rojestvensky is it would be the heighth of impru- cur very close to the Philippine Isprobably ernising slowly off the coast dence for either admiral to send his lands will render the fight of greater of Borneo that his vesseis may have fleet against the enemy unless all interest to Americans.

the Japanese is sufficient. The fleets

FLYER THROWN FROM THE TRACK

FAILS TO IDENTIFY SMITH AS BUYER OF THE PISTOL

Pawnbroker Who Sold Weapon With C. W. Mertz, Mrs. John Craig, Mrs. Which 'Caeser' Young Was Killed Faces Nan-Patterson's Brother-in-Law.

"Caesar" Young was shot, wa brought face to face yesterday with J. Morgan Smith in the Court of General Sessions, but whether he identified Smith as the man to whom he definitely. It was rumored that the pawnbroker had failed to recognize

After the arraignment of Smith and his wife they were taken to the Tombs prison, where Nan Patterson and her strier met for the first time since the The two women throw themselves into each other's arms and wept hysterically, while their aid father, the tears running down his withered cheeks, looked on. He was overcome by their greeting and had to leave the room.

Judge Foster of General Sessions fixed hall for J. Morgan Smith and his wife at \$3,000. They are charged with conspiring with Nan Patterson to extort from "Caesar" Young. with whose murder Nan is charg-

I am glad that this is over so far. I never bought the revolver and they Bethards, D. D., of Defiance; Rev. have nothing to prove that I did. I C. R. Havighorst. Findiay: Rev. am willing to testify and tell all I David Bowers, Lima; Mrs. M. Mailey know as to the case of my sister-in- Ottawa, missionary conference secrelaw, In the trunk which was seized tary, and the following local mens-

New York, April 13.—Hyman Stere | by the detectives there is a statement in fall, written by me, giving

day the revolver was bought. "We have so far been placed in a despicable light before the public of large by the District Attorney and his officers and I am only too glad sold the pistol could not be learned to be here to chear Nan's name. It has been impossible for me to be here before for reasons which I will explain later."

DEACONESS HOME WORK

BOARD OF MANAGERS IN SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION.

Toledo, Ohlo, April 13 .- The semiannual meeting of the board of managers of the Deaconess Home was Shortly after being committed to held today in St. Paul's M. E. church, the Tombs, J. Morgan Smith said to Rev. W. G. Waters, D. D., presiding, a reporter regarding his connection The following members of the Cenwith the revolver with which Young tral Ohio Conference of M. E. churches were present: Rev. L. S. Robert, D. D., and Rev. J. H.

"GOOD-BY!"

Cried the Wife Through the Phone, and the Laura Robinson, of Columbus, war-Husband Heard the Fatal Shot.

Wheeling, W. Va., April 13 -- phis wife had taken her life. He rush-"Good-by, I can't stand it any longer, ed home to find her in her own blood I thank you for all you have done on the floor, for me," shouted Mrs. Charles J. Haberstick to her husband over the tragedy,

Before Haberstick could roply he the head is supposed to have been the heard the crack of a pistol and knew feause of the rash act.

The woman's only child, a daughter of 16, was the sele witness to the

Daniel Stecker, Mrs. W. G. Hlery. Mrs. M. G. Waters, Rev. J. W. Hol land, Mrs. J. W. Holland, Mrs. C. W. Munson, Mrs. M. Gascoinge and

Belictontains and one in Fostoria. ported the receipts for six months, by injured.

\$611.76; expended, \$580.54; balance on hand \$219. it was decided to ask that a special plowed into the netted switches at the attracted to the scene, column be given in the conference minutes to the report of the church's

contributions to the Deaconessess'

Home, and the secretary was notified

to communicate with the authoritie concerning this. Attend the reception and orchestra oncert at F. E. Harman's this evening. Read the programme in this paper. Come and bring your friends

STRUCK THE MINISTER.

Urbana, Ohio, April 13 .- As the result of the local option election is North Lewisberg yesterday "Smuck" Lundis, son of George Landis, is in the county jail tonight, being bound over to the grand jury today. When the ballots were counted last night and the vote resulted in a tie Landis was so glad that he struck Rev. Woodward, pastor of the Methodist church. The minister had him arrested for assault.

OHIO REBEKAHS MEET.

Cleveland, Ohio. April 13 .- The Ohio State Assembly of Rebekahs ls in nineteenth unnual session at Cievenna, Officers elected: Mis. Margaret Whittaker, of Dayton, presdent; Mrs. Lillie Hearing, of Zanesville, vice president; Mrs. Emma Bell of Columbus, secretary; Mrs. Mary Davis, of Toledo, treasurer, and Mrs

Everybody to see the preffiest store in this part of the state. We re alize that many of the gentlemen can not get away in the day time so have arranged to have a reception and consee you all here. F. E. Harman. | cred task, and was found with the the last muffled note,

and Seven Persons Were Injured.

lacks, of Philsburg, was fatally hurt. and Engineer Charles Quarle, of Mrs. John Craig, the treasurer, re- Cleveland, were more or less serious-

Four passenger train No. 43, from the Big Four and the Ohio Central tracks, and tearing the tracks out so that traffic cannot be resumed on any or the three lines for many hours. njured. A man supposed to be S. Engineer Quayle and Fireman Dennis Hickey, of Cleveland, remained on Miss Metculf presented a detailed He was riding between the express the engine until the very end. The report of supplies and furnishings and mail cars. Nathaniel Chandler, locomotive, express, mail, baggage, received from various conferences of Weymouth, Mass.; Miss Mary Ran- smoking cars, day coaches and diner, in the past six months, amounting to kin, of St. Louis; W. A. Wheeler, of all left the tracks and all were over-Union City, Penn.; Mail Clerk G. H. turned, except the day coach and Five decemessess are uffiliated with Broughton, of Cheveland; Mail Clerk diner. The three Pullman sleepers he home, three in this chy, one at Charles Bowman, of Foraville. Ind., in the rear were not damaged, The On motion of Dr. T. H. Campbell, which caused derailment. The train was no fire. Hundreds of people were

TRIED TO KILL HIS FATHER

That Charge Is Brought Against a Marion Township Lad Who Wielded a Pitchfork.

Poe Buctner is held under \$500 grandmother on a farm, and has at bond to answer to a charge of assault times horrowed different utensils from

with intent to kill upon his father his father, which, it is claimed were with intent to Kill upon his lather not returned in proper condition. The John L. Buetner, farmer and justice father remonstrated with the son, of the peace of Marion township. | when the later siezed a pitchfork and Young Buetner resides with his wounded his parent.

HIS KNELL

And the Call To Prayer Rung at the Same Time By the Sexton Who Dropped Dead.

cert this evening for their special ben. Fitzgerald, sexton of the Holy An- The weight of his body held the bell ceri this evening for their special bent Entzgeraid, sexion of the Holy An-iat an angle in which the clapper pre-effit, and we want the ladies to see gets Catholic church, tolled the bell evented the vibration of the last stroke, which has the contract for building live operation. From Binfton two that they come. We have lots to show for the services last evening and at The sudden cossation of the ringing 32 miles of electric railway for the gangs are working one toward Findian tragedy.

Intense suffering from catarrh in them. No goods will be sold. Eve- the same time rang his own death led to an investigation, which dis- Western Ohio to connect Lima with and the other toward Lima. The conrybody is invited, and we hope to knell. He dropped dead at his sa- closed that his life had gone out with Findlay, has established headquar- tract expires September 1; and by

Sidney, Ohlo, April 13 .-- Timothy | rope tightly clinched in his hand,

MANY KILLED IN WRECK ON YAZOO

VICKSBURG, MISS., APRIL 13.—MANY PERSONS ARE REPORT-ED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED IN A WRECK ON THE YAZOO AND MISSISSIPPI VALLEY RAHLROAD 14 MILES NORTH OF HERE AT MIDNIGHT. THE NORTH BOUND FAST PASSENGER TRAIN AND THE SOUTH BOUND PASSENGER ARE REPORTED TO HAVE COL-

ALE PHYSICIANS OF THE CITY HAVE BEEN CALLED TO THE SCIENE OF THE WRECK.

By a Defective Air Brake at Bellefontaine BOY BARTIT LIVED IN CAVE

Bowling Green Lads Played Truant to Emulate Famous James Boys of Missouri.

Bowling Green, April 13 - Clarence | making their home there for days at

Leedy and Ernest Ireland, two 13- a time during the past few weeks. year-old boys of this city, were ar- They took such things as were neerested Monday by the truant officer, essary to their comfort and lived like The boys had discovered a cave west the hold, had bandits read about in in a sand bank and the Jesse James books.

The wreck of the flyer is attribut- to appear to be on fire, and the fire ed to the failure of the air brake department was called out, but there which caused derailment. The train was no fire. Hundreds of people were TO GET MORE PAY

Railway company by a circular letter amount paid.

Norwalk, April 13 .- Good news stating that the company had advancwas brought to the motormen and con- ed the pay of these men to 23 cents luctors of the Lake Shore Electric an hour, a material increase over the

INTO THE ARMS

Of the Undertaker Mrs. Ritter Fell Dead at Her Relative's Funeral.

Youngstown, Ohie, April 13 .- | conducted and the relatives were in While viewing the remains of her the room taking a last look at the grandmother Mrs. Kate Riber fell departed. The undertaker noticed The undertaker hoticed dead in the arms of Undertaker Mc rand went to her assistance, to find a Cauley this afternoon. The funeral corpse in his arms. She was 27 years of Mrs. Margaret C. Overt was being old, and leaves two small children

TWO GANGS

Have Been Put to Work On the Electric Link Between Cincinnati and the Lake.

Columbus Grove, Ohio, April 13, -- | mon and many teams are being utilliers at Bluffton. A large gang of that time cars will be running.



Hinkley's SPOTTED FEVER Bone CALISES ALADA CAUSES ALARM

Best all around family medicine for young and old. Take, it in, rub it en. It goes right to the spot drives out the pain. Every bottle a complete family medicine chest in itself. Rheumatism, first bites, chilblains, neuralgia, headache, diphtheria, sore throat, coughs, colds, toothache, sprains, bruises—are quickly cured with Hinkley's Bone Liniment. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Your druggist has it, or will get it for you. Take no substitute. Get the genuine.

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"I have known and used Hinkley's Rone Liniment for many years. It is a very valuable family medicine, and I am never without a bottle eff it is the house. Internally or externally used it is the most effective remedy of its kind."

I. G. Helland, Sec. Mich. Salt Assu., Saginaw, Mich.

Hinkley's Bone Liniment has been on the market for more than 50 years. It deserves your confidence and will justify your expectations. Get a bottle today.

Binkley Bone Limiteut Co., Saginaw, Mich.

Sold by Melville's Drug Store, Enterprise Drug Store, H. F. Vortkamp's Drug Stors, and Cunningham's Drug Store.

HAS NO

CINCH Fixed for May 24 and 25 By Republican

BRIAN CUNNINGHAM WILL HAVE TO FIGHT FOR NOMINATION.

There is going to be quite a scramble for the Democratic nomination for the circuit bench to succeed the . While Judge afternoon decided to hold the Ohlo F. Gaas, Cincinnati. The convention lare Judge Mooney. Cumulaghem, of Affen county, is at state convention at Columbus on May will be the largest ever held by the present the most open and avowed 24 and 25. The temporary officers candidate, there are several other asplaints who are keeping their booms under cover to escape these late frosts. Among the aspirants might be mentioned Judge Hubbard, of Defiance county; Judge Donnelly, of Henry county; Harry Kinder, of Hancock county, W. H. Kineald, of Union county, and several others whose candidacies are as yet in the incubator.

The third judicial circuit comprises sixteen counties, and as this territory is included in what is called the "Grear Democratic Northwest," it can be readily seen why there is such a clamor. In the Roosevelt landslide last fall the district went Republican but under normal conditions, the Democratic majority ranges from ten to fifteen thousand.

In the matter of the fourth congrewional district, a leading Democrat who is in a position to know, says the report that Charley Adkins, of of Cleveland in favor of Brand Whit- regular party organization. Allen county, had sbandoned his amhitton in the interest of harmony and Jake Ridenour, is farfetched and without any foundation in fact. He ease that Adkins is in the race to win. and will not only have his own county enthusiastically back of his candidacy, but he already has the assurence of substantial support from Darke, Mercer and Shelby .- St. Marys

Agrow with brilliant colors and of the strength that Jones had in his he knew, had no foundation. replete with rich warm Irish humon and shrewd Yankee wit, is the April number of Wayside Tales just out This popular monthly, now in its seventh year continues steadily to improve, and over half a million readers will enjoy Major Ennis' rol licking stories from army life, and the irresistible Snifsky's account of the theatres of New York and Chiesgo. There are also some raitling able and interesting articles on time ly subjects. Marguerite Warren Springer's "Religion of Democracy" is inspiring and Mr. Stedmans, who is always entertaining has an instructive article of the "Salons of Yesterday and Today." Osear Wilde School Book Trust has attracted a

*********************** CONSUMPTION

Scott's Emulsion are the greatest remedies for consumption. Scott's Emulsion will always bring comfort and relief - often cure. Scott's Emulsion does for the consumptive what medicine alone cannot do. It's the nourishment in it that takes the patient in long strides toward health.

We'll send you a sample free-SCOTT & BOWNE, on Part Street, New York.

COURT NEWS

Epidemic at Connellsville,

Pennsylvania.

Connelsyille. Pa., April 13,-An, where the disease exists, and the

pidemic of Cerebro Spinal meningi- ischools of the town have been closed.

tis, or spotted fever has broken out At a meeting of the board of health

in Dunbar, this county, and the citi- the school board and the president of

Professor C, Sheldon Suchh and John appeal to the state board of health

Central Committee in Session

at Columbus.

Columbus, Ohio, April 12.—The Re- | ry of war; secretary, John H. Malley,

sublican state central committee this Columbus; sergent-at-arms, William

BRAND WHITLOCK FOR

Democrats at Cleveland, Presumably Backed by

Tom Johnson, Launch Boom for

Toledo Man.

lock, of Toledo, for governor. The | Coming from a man so close to

elist would not only accept the nomi- taken as an indication that the John

nation, if tendered, but would find son forces in Cuyanoga county will

favor among the party leaders be found back of Whitlock when the

in the Toledo man's favor. He kind at any time. He did not wish whinks the novelist would have much to discuss a rumor which, so far as

news has been brought that the nov- Mayor Johnson, this announcement is

GOVERNOR OF OHIO

CONVENTION

party in the state, the total number

of delegates based on the vote for

lines are drawn for the coming bat-

Brand Whitlock said last night that

he had not had any intimation of the

Roosevelt being 1,196.

McManus have been quarantined for aid.

of the convention will be:

throughout the state.

M. B. Excell, president of the tie.

board of public safety, and a warm

admirer of Tom L. Johnson and the

late Samuel M. Jones, is outspoken

Chirman, William H. Taft, secreta-

OHIO STATE

The circuit court docket will be denned up before the week is ended if the present rate is kept up, Seven cases were submitted yesterday, so of them on briefs and without argument which added to the four heard Tuesday leaves only fourteen to he disposed of. Three cases were as-Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis Becomes an signed to April 18 for Hearing, namely Spellhey vs the Three S. Col company, the Pennsylvania company vs. Robert Mehaffey, and Hedges et at ve the Buckeye Supply company. The cases submitted yesterday were: C., H. and D. vs Walter F. Bloom,

C., H. and D. vs Lima Railway and Supply company, on brief; error.

1. E. & W. vs Susan N. Reed; er-Mary Bourquin vs Emanuel Crist, zens are alarmed. The homes of the town council, it was decided to error on brief.

Lemuel C. Binkley vs. Theodore George W. Kniseley et al vs James D. Hooper, error.

John N. Hutchinson vs the City of

Yesterday Anna Gambone filed suit or divorce from David Gambone whom she married March 31, 1902. three year old child is the result of this union. Plaintiff says her husband left her the following August after their wedding and has not conribused to support since. She asks for the custody of the calld and enough money to support and educate it properly. Russell Armstrong is attorney for plaintiff

Moses Sager and wife to John A. Stager, two acres of land in Allen county, \$175.

Samuel S. Burkholder and wife to John C. Burkholder, lot 514 in Bluffton, \$1550. Thomas J. Ditzler and Percy C. Dit-

zler to Elia Hennen, quit claim for 20 seres of land in Allen county, \$1.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Eclecric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

LEGAL NOTICE.

signed has been duly appointed and engaged for the summer entertainqualified as administrator of the es-County, Ohio, deceased. All persons presentation will be prominent. In indebted to said estate are required son educationally. Teachers and support of the county of the c to come forward and make payment dents who attend the Summer School immediately to the undersigned; and will derive much benefit.

Windra Lake has gold links, ten-Cleveland, April 13,-A boom has independent run for governor, and bethe undersigned, for settlement. been started among the Democrats sides would have the backing of a Lima, Ohio, March 21, 1905.

Ensign Hanes, Administrator. D. C. Henderson,

Attorney for Administrator. 60-4t

LEGAL NOTICE. In the Probate Court of Aller

County, Ohio. In the matter of the assignment of Henry Bruning, for the benefit of

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Henry Bruning of Lima, Allen County, Ohio by the Probate Court of Al-

ien County, Ohio Persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the said Henry Bruning will make payment to said assignee; and persons having claims against said Henry Bruning are required to present the same to said assignee for

> LEWIS H. ROGERS, Assignee.

NOTICE.

The trustees of the Woodlawn Cemetery Association hereby give notice that at a meeting of said board held on Saturday, Mar. 25, 1905, it was found necessary to increase the price of all lots in Woodlawn Cemeiery, and also to increase the Perpetual Care Fund of said association, and that said trustees thereupon adopt an increased scale of prices for the above to take effect May 1st

All persons desirous of purchasing mirial tots in said cemetery or placing their lots already owned in said Perpetual Care Fund may do so before May 1st, 1905, at the existing prices. All fots sold after said date and membership in said Perpetudi harr wond, will be charged for at the increased scale.

The Woodlawn Cemetery Association by W. K. Boone, President; T. W. Dobbins, Secretary.

JOB PRINTING AT THE DAILY NEWS OFFICE. NEAT WORK AND Frederick, Okla., April 13 .- This at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. One REASONABLE PRICES. LETTER LY BOTH THONES.

XO=NOT Tablets

He exchanged a body full of aches and Pains For one full of strength and Life

Mr. F. W. Cowles, 37 Birch Cresent, Rochester, N. Y., is a gentleman well along in years, and as his strength declined, his sytem became run down and out of condition. So critical did his position become that he tried one remedy after another, only to find that he could get no relief. Iron-Ox Tablets were recommended to him, and so wonderful are the results that Mr. Cowles wishes every one to know how he has been cured. He says:

with a stomach trouble, and have a bladder dif-feel bright and cheerful and have a better ficulty. When my stomach was bad, my blad- relish for my food. My bowels act nicely, der would be bad. I had no relish for food-my and I can see a decided improvment in my liver, I think, has not been in good condition. I have been somewhat constipated; my nerves also have been in bad shape. I have taken medicines of all kinds, but nothing seemed to do me any good. My daughter had a part of a box of Iron-Ox Tablets and told me to take them. I did so and very soon felt an improvement. I could not attribute my improvement to anything else, and felt encouraged. When I liad taken all the box she gave me, I did not twant to give them up, so got me another box. I take them regularly, and am certain they are doing me good. Before taking Iron-Ox Tab-

"I am 73 years old and have long been troubled lets I was dejected and out of spirits; now I stomach and bladder.

> The cause of nine-tenths of the sickness of the human race is constipation. Constipation upsets the stomach, and the digestion. It poisons the blood, rnins the nerves, dulls the eye, produces torturing headaches, and robe the body of all sleep and rest. It tears down the system and paves the way to disense and death. Don't allow constipation to get a hold on you. If you have it, break it up.

Iron-Ox Tablets cure constipation. They give instant relief to the congested bowels, and build up and strengthen every organ of the body.

50 Iron-Ox Tablets in a handy alumin In pocket case, 25 cents at your druggist's, or sent postpaid on receipt of price by The Iron-Ox Remedy Co. Detroit, Mich.

THE DEIBEL-WEMMER CO. WANT 100 GIRLS TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE. WILL BE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. APPLY AT FACTORY BUILDING, COR NORTH MAIN ST. AND PENN. B. B.

WINONA LAKE SEASON. Will Be Particularly Attractive For

The summer of 1965 is to be an especially attractive season at Winona Lake, the beautiful resore of Northern Indiana on the Pennsylvania lines The Presbyterian General Assembly All persons whom it may concern will convene there May 18th. Notre hereby notified that the under- ed speakers and musicians have been ments. There will be conventions and social and religious conferences from ate of James Hanes, late of Allen May until September. The literary

> sylvania lines run direct wo the park entrance. Season and fifteen-day excursion tickets may be obtained from well, adultery. Information about Winona lines. Lake, the season's program, hotel accommodations etc.; can be ascertained from S. C. Dickey, Secretary and Generai Manager, Winona Lake, Ind.

************************ THREE WOMEN

ARE INDICTED

Unusual Case at Celina, O .-- Ida Cox Charged With Shooting to Wound Her Neighbor. Wound Might Have Proved Fatal-Other True Bills.

Celina O., April 13 .- The grand disturbance. The wound was painmry have made their report to Judge ful and might have proved fatal. S. A. Armstrong and it includes the Several workhouse arrests were indictment of three women- a some- made at the time of young hoys who all persons having claims against winona Lake has golt links, ten indictment of three women— a some made at the time of young boys who all persons having claims against us courts, baseball and cricket what unusual occurrence. The women frequented some of the houses of ill-said estate are required to present grounds boating shing, swimming indicted are Ira Cox, shooting with repute and the disclosures made at the same, properly intended in the arrest of the intent to wound; Mary Schulty, keep-these trials led to the arrest of the ing a house ill-fame; Margaret Hart- Schulty and Hartwell women. Twenty-six women were examined

ticket agents on the Pennsylvania Mrs. Cox was arrested several by the grand jury. Three of the six weeks ago for shooting her neighbor, cases presented were ignored. W. W.

MARRIAGE IS A FAILURE **DECLARES ANDREW MAHON**

Wedded at Midnight, Spanked By His Wife, and Sued for a Divorce Within a Month.

Hine wife filed suit for divorce Feb-

he says that he was compelled to til morning abandon his wife for his own safety. The marriage itself was an unuswould apply for a divorce.

lady that he was master of his own tied.

Sandusky, April 13.-Andrew F. P. | house, for which bold assertion his Mahon feels that marriage is a fall- wife boxed his cars twice, spanked ure, having been sued for a divorce him with a slipper, pounded his within a month after being married, crantum with an alarm clock, and

finally pulled his hair. This misunderstanding occurred ruary 25, in which she alleges cru- about midnight and, as this treatment was too much for Andy, he was com-Andy has filed an answer in which belled to go down stairs and stay un-

The wife's sister had been visiting unity rementic one. Although well them ever since a week after their past the half century mark in life, marriage and, when Andy inquired Andy and his bride-to-be decided that how long the sister would remain, happiness would only be wasted by his wife took offense and said she delay and hied themselves to the home of a minister here at midnight Mr. Mahon says he informed the early last January and had the knot

12,809 **SALOONS** PAY DOW TAX

Columbus, April 13,-- The Dow tax It shows 12,808 saloons in the state settlement by county auditors with carepared with 11.485 last year. State Auditor Chilbert was complet- The tax for the six months aggreed today for the January collection, gated \$2,104,483,

"Where can I get your 'Easy Task' ommon yellow soaps, made Soap in this city? The storekeepers from cheapest tallow and all have something just as good or better than Easy Task' Soap. But TASK, the pure white soap, their say-so and my experience are you get a disinfectant and two entirely different articles." 550 Drover St. W., Indianapolis, Ind.

grease, breed disease germs. With every bar of EASY germicide as well as a famous MRS. M. GROVE. cleauser. 5c at all grocers'.

OIL FLOWED ALL OVER THE LEASE

good short stories and a number of New Well in Indian Territory Produces Nearly 40,000 Barrels.

"Salome" is a gorgeous thing, and Osage nation, last week. It is owned on 62, the Roth, Argue & Maire Bros. Gertrude M. Murdock's affack on the by the Reservation Oil company and spouters on 64, the Douglas-Lacy on large amount of attention. The timated at 3,000 or 4,000 barrels a nings Bros. on \$5. Stevens Point on magazine is splendidly illustrated, day. It flowed oil all over the lease, 63. That the largest spouter of them The best magazine in the market for it is said. It is a triffic west of for all should be found on 61, north of

Perhaps the largest well ever struck | count.

in the Indian Territory field was The Osage strip, however, is very brought in on the "Prollins Strip," carrow. It includes the Matson wells located on let 61. It is variously es- 67, McConnell & Graham on 58, Jonmer developments in that quarter and the other gushers, has been a surs more or less significant on that ac- prise. It has not been shot.

Hope, fresh air, rest and A JOYFUL TIME FOR THE PRESIDENT

Nature Loving Executive Making. Very Best of Every Hour.

ias been an ideal day for President of the diversions of the camp was a HEADS, NOTE HEADS, ENVELO Received and his party of hunters series of foot races in which the pres-in the big pasture. The weather has accustomed to parsuing wolves that SALE BILLS, RUSINESS CARDS, been cool and cloudy. The party they left off chasing a wildcat yestergoes out at 6:30 o'clock each morning day when a wolf was scented. Last SHIPPING TAGS. and returns to catoff about 11 o'clock night a raccoon was caught in deep BLANK NOTES. LEASES. ETC., for dinner. Frosh horses are saddled red creek, and it is now in camp as a ETC. ALL WORK DONE PROMPTby attendants and a fresh start made live trophy of the chase.

FOR SALE BY H. Hauenstein, 123 E. High St.

Before that totally different wheel—the RACYCLE—was invented or even thought of, the Chicago World's Fair was a thing of the past. The

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given in the bicycle class at the St. Louis World's Fair was awarded to the RACYCLE. Which will you ride for 1905, the winner or one of the others?

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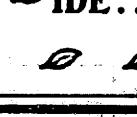
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Newsy Happenings Gathered Across the

Pleasuntly Surprised.

A number of Sorth Side ladies pariclouted in a full-fledged surprise gathering Tuesday evening at the iome of the unsuspecting hostess occastoned all the astonishment they ducted the last rites. had hoped for. During the evening Mrs. Stumbaugh was made the rechina salad dish. Music by Mesdames the assembled company, and an excellent tunch was served. The guest ist included Mesdames Ida Beelman, Sweeney, C. A. Hollis, Ida Myers. bloe Holmann, M. DeViness, W. A. Wagner, C. Harper, Elmer Shockey C. W. Naas, J. W. Offager, J. E. Latham, D. F. McCarty, Effle Osbun, E. C. Ring, Eva Kamble and J. W. Mack.

0.0.0 At the Locomotive Works,

Engine 1509, a large three-cylinler Shay, left yesterday for the Pacific coast. It is to be placed in the Lewis and Clark exhibition during the coming months as an advertisement for the firm and the western agents. Traveling engineer George Bremmer will take it to its destination. The apprentices at the works are jest. cetiring one by one. Walton Thomp-

The usual mid-week religious meettory of the Y. M. C. A., with Mrs. smith department, will engage W. M. Curry as vocalist. It was an farming a few miles south of the nounced that unless a demand was city. made for further services they would terminate with the next meeting, he Rev. W. M. Curry and Frank Bowhas been quite evident that no great ers are home from Findley, where

the men at the works in these meet-

000 Sad Mission.

Rev. C. M Rups returned yesterhome of Mrs. Joseph Strumbaugh, of day morning from Wyoming, Pa, McKibben street, she having reached where occurred the funeral of his ier forty-first year. The crowd gath. son-in-law, O. J. Lleyd Monday afternoon, Dr. Goodchild, paster of the Central Bapolist church, New York street, and their appearance at the City, assisted by Dr. Edwards, of the Congregational charch, Pittston, con-

Cpon his arrival home Rev. Rupe received intelligence of the demise siplent of a silk dress, gold ring and of his mother-in-law, Mrs. C. L. Barker, in Columbus. The Tuneral will Sweeney and Stumbaugh and the be held in McConnelsville, tomorrow, Stumbaugh sisters well entertained morning, and in conformity with the expressed wish of the departed, Rev. Rupe will officiate. He and his daughter, Mrs. R. P. Bansom, left for McConnelsyille this morning.

0,00 Personal Mention.

Mrs. J. C. Kelly and Mrs. Ed. Fenwick attended the session of Presbytery at Findiay, delegates from the Ladles' Missionary, Society of the Main street Presbyterian church. $\mathbf{o} \circ \mathbf{o}$

William Moore, of Marion, was guest yesterday of his cousin, Mrs. Martha Johnson, of east Kibby. Mr. Moore was an interested attendant at the Lhineman stock safe. 0000

Grocer John Hennon is on the retired list just now-A rhenmatic sub-

We understand that D. T. Edwards, of south Pine who recently resigned ng was conducted by the new secre- as foreman of the L. E. & W. black-

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enthusiasm has been manifested by they attended Presbyters?

ANN ARBOR DEAL SEEMS CERTAINTY

C. H. Q D. Has Not bor and the Detroit Southern. The Bought the Line But Hollens and Co.

SYSTEM

RANGEMENT WILL PREVENT HURTFUL COMPETITION.

There seems to be little doubt of the Upper Penninsula. that the Hollins syndicare of New York, has bought the Ann Arbor road and will operate it in connection with the Detroit Southern.

Neither President Eugene Zimmer man nor Vice President Russell Harding had anything to say yesterday, except that the Great Central interests, either representing the C. H. mentioned, namely the Pere Marand D. or the Pore Marquette, had quette, the C. H. and D. the Detroit not acquired the Ann Arbor, and had Southern and the Ann Arbor, is prenot attempted to acquire it.

News Still Credited. This, however, does not dispose of the assertion that the Hollins interests had bought the road. There are competition which might ensue numerous indications which point to

this fact. There are several reasons why the Ann Arbor can not be acquired by the Pero Marquette. The chief reason is that such a purchase would comiler competing lines being operated as one

Court Settles Ownership. There is nothing however, to pre-********

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cent a consolidation of the Ann Ar question of ownership has been set-

the Detroit Southern, makes a re-Has. markably strong account tem, of about 704 miles in length, affording a direct route from southera Ohio and West Virginia coal IT MAKES THROUGH helds to the far northwest by means or car ferries across Lake Michigan. Ends at Frankfort.

The Ann Arbor road runs northwest across Michigan, through Ann Arbor, Dundee and other little cities. COMMUNITY OF INTEREST AR- and having its northern terminus at Frankfort.

Manitowoo, Kewanee, Menominee and also to Cladstone, on the taider side.

tionnections are made at these points with the Wissonsin Sengal, the Chleage and Northwestern, the Soo Line and other northwestern

Will Be Friendly.

rangement between all four lines sumably the full scope of the deal. By bringing in the Ann Arbor and the Detroit Southern, the syndicate

The ladics of Allen Hive No. 97 will meet this evening in Central black. imfiding. A full attendance is de-

should the road have fallen into hos-

Estate of James H. Cook, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed are worn with silky cashinere or cloth and qualified as administrator of the skirts. This fad has been adopted by estate of James H. Cook, late of Allen Co., Ohio, deceased. Dated this 25 grand of fashion.

Cook,

r such in place whapper, and velvet leaves into a fine of stant to express, prepaid, for a shortless \$2.55 | island with an ermine or chinchilla col-

tled in recent decisions of the United States Supreme court in similar cases. The Ann Arbor, in conjugation with

From this point car ferries are operated at Frankforf, Manistique,

A communication of interest are will be able to prevent the disastrons

with the law prohibiting parallel and sired. By order of the Lady Comman-

day of March, A. D., 1905, T. F.

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EVENING WRAPS

juncte to My Lady's Wardrobe. Charming are the evening wraps of har and cults. An edging of the fur

I was run down, Father John's Medicine built me up and I gained 30 pourois New I am by perfect health - Ju-Seph Beladeau, Martin St., Brockton, Mass.

also a inverious addition. The three-quarter length wrap is the favored one, but the Josephine closks are

Legg suede and kid gloves and mittems are worn in the evening. With



BROCHE SILK BODICS.

classical dress the Juliet cap of many colored siones is wonderfully pretty and quaint choux of velvet worn in the bair, the center consisting of a beautiful diamond or paste organient is a becoming cofffure adorament. Flowered offects are the vogue just

now, and face motifs on gowns take the flowered form outlined with gathered velvet or satin ribbon. A gown of black taffein has medailions of venetian lace outlined with a narrow border of pale reseda green ribbon. An exquisite arrangement of La France roses done in panne velvet adorps the petticonted front of a

by festoons of velvet ribbou. Altogether charming is the little bodice shown in the picture. It is ofbroche silk, with an underground of pale blue and an overpattern of lacy effect. An application of lace embeddcry outlines the low neck with lattice medallions of pale blue velyet ribbon.

white satin frock made for a society

VANITY'S VISIONS. A New Braid Trimming-Marble Telvet Is Smart-A Paristan Wrap.

A new description of velvet christened "marble" has just been added to attractive fabrics of this nature, and, is its name foretells, the new variety is adorned with all the delicate tracery of the marble it simulates. It is used for the popular waistroat and for trimmines on elaborate gowns and wraps. Marble velvet is most, effective in white with little pinkish veinings all over its surface which are bardly per-

ceptible in some lights. It is also to be

had in black and white, reddish brown



BILL BATISTE DANCING PROCE. soft shades of green, which are charming when used in connection with

The new taffets braid is very smart with its little ailk bands neatly plaifed in and out in inch and a half wide trimmings. It is most effective when matching the gown in color.

Becoming long velvet basqued coats all smart women who figure in the van-

The dancing frock illustrated is of white silk batiste over an underrobe of pink liberty satin. The skirt is delightfully "fronfroney" at the feet, and above the quillings of satin are two floringes of swiss embroidery formed by modife strapped together with hows of pink satin ribbon. Each flounce is headed by an insertion of swiss em-Sorments That Are Valuable Ad- broidery. The baby bodice has the embroidery and ribbon low effect in front, and the decollete neck is finished with lace over childon embroidered, with lacertion. The high puffed sleeves have shaded panne and velvet leaves the a line of smart little bows just below

JUDIC CHOLLET.

TOOK **FOUR** SHOTS

At the Fleeing Man Who Had Been Talking With Her.

Findlay, Ohio. April 13 .- A pretty two were seen to meet and converse. young woman emptying a revolver and then the young hidy drew a reat a fleeling man was the sight which wolver and fired four times at the met the eyes of several people on lies are well known, but no arrests Washington street this afternoon. The have been made.

RAIN PREDICTED IN LAKE REGION

Rising Temperature Promised and Fair Is the Indication To-Morrow.

Washington, D. C., April 13.-The Friday fair; fresh northwesteraly barometer continues to fall in almost winds. all districts, all readings in the United Ohio-Warmer Thursday, with

States below 30 inches. Temperatures are generally below the seasonal average in all parts of the country except the middle Missbeauty. The roses are hold together issippi Valley. Thursday rain is probable in the lake region and the dipper Ohio Valley and locally in the Missouri. Fair weather is probable Friday except in the middle Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys

where showers are indicated. " It will be somewhat warmer in the lower lake region and colder weather will prevail in the Mississippi Valley and the middle portion of the Mississippi Valley.

The winds Thursday on the Tipper Lakes will be fresh north to northeast. forecast for Thursday and Eriday: Illinois and Indiana-Fair Thurslay, warmer in southern portions

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GOOD TIMES.

Good times breed good times. Last year's crops enriched the railroads, the railroads bought rails and rolling stock and bridges; the steel business experienced a revival, and the United States Steel Corporation is about to announce an increase of wages that will divide \$9,000,000 a year among 30 000 men.

FORLORN HOPE.

When Admiral Cervera was peremptorily ordered to leave Santiago he could not have been more certain of his doom than Admiral Rojestvensky will feel when he receives his orders to cut loose from Madagascar and steer for Singapore and destruction. Although the Russian fleet is nominally superior to the Japanese- that is, it has more battleships, such as they are no naval officer in this country has any doubt of what will happen when Admiral Togo comes within fighting range of the heroes of Dogger Bank. The Russian naval officer, like the Spanish, is a brave man, and an agreeable member of society; but, unfortunately, he has generally failed to make his profession the object of his life. Consequently, through his neglect of his profession he is likely to come to his death. If Rojestvensky's fleet is ever permitted to go into battle with Togo's, it is highly improbable that any of the Rossian ships will get away except by surrendering at the nearest neutral port for disarmament until the close of the war.

CATASTROPHES, MAN-MADE OR NATURAL

Some prominence is given in the rable reports to the earthquake dis- suchinery?" asked the Yankee. "Up in India whereby 5,000 people in our way. a single town were engulfed in the day. The Royal. earth and a whole district was depopulated. Similarly the flood horror at Madrid, where some 500 people were mild-looking little lad, "that there are killed or injured by the bursting of animals which weep. a reservoir attracted some awestruck "Of course there are," replied Mrs. attention. However, in neither of Henpeck. "I've often seen tears in my these two castrophes were as many husband's eyes."—Chicago Record-Heror, probably as useful lives snuffed ald. out, and certainly the conditions were no more horrible, than those which took place almost daily last fall and this early spring around Port Arthur and in the soul-harrowing campaign about Mukden.

We imagine too that the Chinese residents of the zone of war in Manchuria have suffered more severely than the inhabitants of the earthquake area of India. What is the use of being horrised when nature or industrial carelessness causes a catastrophe while the world reads unmoved of the horrors of war in Manchuria and is waiting new with an audience's strained attention for the veil to lift a lunatic merely because you don't unon the struggle to the death between derstand him. the fleets of Russia and Japan? is a man any less dead because he happens | The Crank. to have been slain in battle?

YESTERDAY'S CUT IN OIL.

[Teledo Blade]

There is nothing especial surprising or significant in the cut in oil today. There has been steady decline in the price of oil, and oil men will not he surprised if oil goes still lower. According to caculations made from the monthly "Chinese puzzle," known as the pipe line report, it is shown that despite the continued decline in prices the stocks have made a slight gain during the past month. This inerease in stocks was small compared! with the column of oil handled, but | it is the first time in months that the runs have exceeded the shipments. and, while oil men do not like declinethey are "from Missouri." and like to be shown some kind of a reason a terribly thred feeling he told me to show Topics. for the cut. The pipe line report him my tongue .- Cassell's. for the past month shows a gain of 38,950 barrels, and this gain was due solely to the Muncic district. Other districts were light.

Traveler (visiting Niagara in 1925)

-What has become of your wonderful

Niscara Man -They're still bere, about, just the same as ever if you want. Mrs. Meadow-Well, lam, sometimes. to see the water, though, you have I s'pose you don't have tramps in the to go to the power nouses. But did city.

Close Figuring. "Politeness costs bothing," said the

"That's where you are wrong," said Mr. Grab. "I have to pay for the time it takes my clerks' to write 'please cenut' thousands of times. And

So It Does. "Winter is a mean season."

he word please never brings in a

penny."-Washington Star.

"Still, it has some advantages." "That'll do for talk, but can you mention one?

"Certainly. It makes your neighbor take in his phonograph off the front porch -- Louisville Courier-Jour-

He Never Smiled Again.

Where are you going, my preity maid?" To grammer school kind sir." she said. What could I learn there, fair mad?" Good manners perhaps, sir," she'said. Cincago Josephan.

ANXIOUS TO PLEASE.



Mrs. Shortz (to prospective maid)-And mind yea're up early every morning, Emily. We have breakfast at 9

Emily-Awright mum. Anylow, if I'm not down, don't wait for me!-London Oninion.

Mary had a little lamb. Its fleece was white as snow: But it you tried to shave it

Didn't Want to Board Him. They were lingering in the ball. "Just one kiss, darling!." he pleaded

"For goodness' sake give; it to him, Maud," exclaimed a hoarse voice from the head of the stairs, "or he'll stay to breakfast."-Chicago News.

Poor Old Gods!

"The mills of the gods grind slowly," quoted the long-faced man in the black

"Why don't they put in some modern

Confirmed "I have read somowhere," said the

Effect of Early Training. Papa-I hear you were a bad girl today and had to be whipped. Small Daughter-Mamma is awful strict. If I'd 'a' known she used to be a

schoolteacher I'd a told you not to

It's Noticeable. "You can't have genius without so-

marry her.-Tit-Bits.

centricity." "That may be so, but I've noticed that it's possible to have a good deal of eccentricity without much genius."--Chicago

Extremes. Clipper-It isn't safe to think a man Flapper-That's so. He's likely to be

either a genius or a magazine poet -

Paradoxical. Glles-Cleaver, the butcher, is a paradoxical chap. Miles-How's that??

Giles-Why, everything he sells he gives a weigh.-Chicago News. The Eternal Feminine. Atropos was wielding her shears on

the thread of life. "They're awfully inconvenient," admitted the Fate, "it's ever so much easter to bite it."-N. Y. Sun.

Jilted. She-Why, Belle used to be hand-ingiove with you. He-Say, rather, "hand-in-mitten." She gave me the latter and withdrew the Houston Post. hand -- Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Tomson-Why are you so angry with the doctor? Mrs. Tomson-When I told him I had or take up jiu jitsu exercises. Town

A Surprised Victim. "Their engagement was quite a surprise, wasn't it?"

"Yes-to him."-Town Topics.

They Often Make Mistakes. Mrs. Brownstone--I should think you

would feel afraid, living way off here in the country, with so many tramps

you ever see anything quite as mag- Mrs. Brownstone-No, indeed. We nificent as this rocky gorge? - Chicago have nothing to fear but the police .-N. Y. Weekly.

> Two of a Kind. "I'm right here to tell you," said the young man who had been married for nearly two weeks, "that I've got the

boss wife." "Well, you have my sympathy," replied the man with the absent bair, who had been trotting in double harness for 13 years. "I've got a boss wife also,"-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Husband-This cake is very good, my dear, but it seems to me there ought to Wife (in clear, icy, incisive tones)-

That cake came by mail, and was made by your mother. Husband-Yes, as I was saying, there ought to be a little more-of it.-N.Y.

The Danger Was Over. Judge-What is this man charged

Policeman-Attempting suicide. Judge-Are his friends here to bail him out? Policeman-The doctor attended to that. Your Honor, with his stomach

pump,-Clacinnati Commerciai-Trib-

An Explanation. Undertaker (to bystander at funeral) -Excuse me, but are you one of the Bystander-I am, sir.

Undertaker-What relation to the de-Bystander-None at all-but he owed

me \$10.-Cincinnati Enquirer,

Biological. "Dear!"

With a glance she tried to cow him. But he only looked sheepish. "Dog!" she exclaimed.

He choked-there was a frog in his throat. Then realizing he had made a monkey of himself by acting like a bear, he ducked .- Judge.

Hopelessly Disagreeable. "Is it true that you and Bliggins no

longer speak?" "Yes. He is one of those hopelessly disagreeable people. He insisted on calling attention to how much better time his dollar watch keeps than my \$200 chronometer."-Washington Star.

Rather Lax.

The Flat Dweller (warm only under the collar)-I tell you sit, it's warmer out of doors than in this ice box! The Janitor-Well there are no rules against opening the windows in these flats.-The Elevator Boy.

In the Smoker. Hashkins-I wonder what could have induced old Ardup to marry the land-

Pruneleig-I guess it was either that or raise money to pay what he owed her for board.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

It Came Off. "Well," they asked him after the dance with the elderly, ugly daughter, and how did it come off?" "Horribly!" he said, as he brushed

the shoulder of his dress coat. "Horribiy, dear boy!"-Ally Sloper. A Sign of the Times.

"Do you believe we are degenerating that men are less courageous than they once were?" "Well, there are more advertise

ments of safety razors now than there used to be."-The Waiter.

THOSE DEAR GIRLS.



Myrtie-Why is Caroline having ber portrait painted?

Virginia-She has reached that again when she doesn't look well in a pho-

Even in Jokes, see microbes on our money, our drinks and in our smokes, And, of course-how very funny-There are microhes in our lokes. -Chicago Chronicle,

Highly Successful. "You say it was the most successful operation you ever performed?" "It certainly was; I've got an automobile and my wife is going to Europe."-

Hard to Choose. Madge--What is Miss Fadd doing? Marjorie She seems rather undecided as to whether to follow the simple life

The Reason. "Her hall gown is not so decollete as the majority here." "No; you see she is so short-walsted,

-Houston Post.

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Children's white short dresses in 6 month to 4 years sizes at 50c to \$5.00; white short skirts with waists at 39c to \$2.50; children's white umbrella skirts up to 12 year size, at 50c

Children's colored dresses, a collection of neat styles, at 25c, 50c, 69c, 98c and up.

Little boys' kilt dresses and Russian Knickerbocker suits in white and colors, at 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50. and to \$3.50. Mothers are delighted with these little garments.

In infants' and children's headwear we are getting new things right along. Pretty silk caps for babies at 50c to \$1.98; .. Swiss caps and bonnets in a range of prices from 25c to

Baby shoes and moccasins, the very best goods at 25c, 39c, 50c and 69c.

YOU WILL FIND ALL OF BABY'S REQUIREMENTS HERE.

Belts and Neckwear for Easter.

The variety of belts was never as tasty and varied as we show this season nor was the belt ever as important a factor in woman's wardrobe. Our superior buying organization has made itself felt in supplying our department with the greatest variety of up-to-date

SILK BELTS. A choice collection in black, white and colors at 25c, 35c, 50c, 69c. 75c, 98c and to \$1.98.

LEATHER BELTS. Most original styles for ladies' wear at 25c, 35c, 50c, and to 1.98. As also the prevailing styles in Buster Brown Belts for children at 25c, 35c and 50c.

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Our neckwear department has established reputation for showing the newest novelties, goods of taste and refinement, such as appeal to womanhood.

COLLAR and CUFF SETS. Very origianl styles at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and to \$2.50.

FANCY STOCKS. The variety is most extensive in wash styles as also pretty silk creations. The price range is 25c, 35c, 50c

AA very pretty Wash Stock, embroidered in red, blue, black, brown, al white and comhination of colors. Special value at 14c.

TURNOVERS. We show a large line of this popular neck dressing, most exclusive styles, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and up to 98c.

WHITE GOODS.

When you are ready for Sheer White Stuffs for confirmation or graduation suits, you will do well to see ours. French Lawns at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Mercerized Batiste at 50c and 65c. Persian Lawns at 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 50c. India Linous at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c. Checked and Striped Dimities at 12 1-2c, 15c, & 20c and 25c. Soft Nainsooks at 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

White Linens for Shirt Waists and Shirt Waist Suits, excellent values at 33c, 38c, 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c and 95c. Just received a splendid quality of 36 inch Shrunken Linen at 45c.

Mercerized White Goods, beautiful designs in light weight fabrics at 25c, 29c, 39c and 50c.

The Prettiest Laces.

The Newest **Embroideries**.



The Newest Ribbons.

Beautiful Dress Trimmings.

209-211 North Main Street.

Chester Place and Fred Beade have returned from a short visit in Columbus Grove,

Mrs. O. G. Tague, who has been visting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. if. Watts, of Van Wert, has returned home.

Attorney S. S. Wheeler, who represents the Pennsylvania company, yesterday afternon in this city, was in Van Wert yesterday on business for the road.

Mrs. S. L. Feely, of Delphos, was here yesterday.

Kent Ebersole left yesterday for J. Weigman and family, in St. Marys. New York, where he will join a large opera company forming there.

Mr. George Stumpuer accompa- vill visit her mother, who is very ill. nled his daughter, Miss Eva Stumpher as far as Findley yesterday. for an extended visit.

n the city yesterday afternoon a few hours enroute to Dayton, Ohio, Harvey Wheeler, Nick Gillen and

F. X. Altenberger, of Delphos, were here on business yesterday,

Toledo yesterday the guest of his those lines. daughter, Mrs. Gibson Dildine. Harry N. Lamberton was in Del

Rev. J. M. Mills was down from

C. A. Ferguson, of Van Wert, spent

phos a few hours yesterday after-

Mrs, James Guyselman and son, Le Grande, of Van Wert, ore visiting

Mrs. L. Meckstroth is visiting Mr.

Miss M. A. Warner will go in a few days to Howard City, Mo., where she

Mrs. E. O. Hollingsworth and Miss she going on as far as Caldwell, O., Erma Stoker, of St. Marys, were in the city Mouday evening.

Forthwest via Pennsylvania One-way second class coloniate tick-

Job Taylor, of New York City, was, Colonies Tickets to the Morth and SPECIAL HOME-SEEKERS' EX-CURSIONS VIA PENNSYLVA-NIA LINES

April 4th and 18th, excursion tickets to California, the north Pacific ets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines coast, Montana and Idaho, will be sold to points West, South and Southwest, via Pennsylvania lines from March 1st account special Home-Seekers' Exto May 15th, inclusive. For particular cursions, For full particulars regardtars apply to nearest ticket agent of ing fares, routes, etc. apply to Local Ticket Agent of those lines.

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GO TO THE TOLEDO WORKS FOR A SPRING VACATION,-LIT TLE DOING IN POLICE COURT THIS MORNING,

Things are decidedly quiet in police circles at the present time and this morning there was nothing doing in police court.

Blain Davis, arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, an old time offender, drew a fine of \$20 and costs and thirty days in the Toledo works.

vags, were fined \$10 and costs and Sania Fe railroad. thirty days in the works.

Herbert Viana, arrested for disorderly conduct, the market place being the scene of the alleged offense. was arraigned this northing, pleaded not guilty and is having his hearing

Four other vags will be arraigned this afternoon and it is probable that they will be headed toward the city on the Maumee. They will reach there in alme to attend Parsifal and will have their get-away in time for a Fourth of July celebration.

Itehing piles? Never mind if physicians have failed to cure you. Try | CAN GET THE BEST AND AT Donn's Ointment. No failure there. 50 cents, at any drug store,

WHITE **CAFE**

Opening Last Evening Swift Pride Soap3e bar Was a Delightful Affair.

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE VISIT THE PLACE AND ENJOY THE GOOD THINGS.

The formal opening of the While Cafe on the east side of the public square, which is destined to be one of the most popular places of the kind in the city, was formally opened to the public last night between the hours of eight and ten o'clock and during that time hundreds of peaple visited the place. A full orchesmale quariette from Cellna assisted has almost fully recovered from the in the entertainment.

Every visitor was served with ulce lunch, Messrs, Henry Steinle and Jock Fellows, being in charge of this part of the program.

The White Cafe, which has so sud- hest soap I have ever used." denly leaped into popularity, is without a doubt, one of the handsomest and most up to date places any where

in the state. In attendance at the opening were many from Celina, St. Marys, Ottawa, Findlay, Blufton, Wapakonela and

VAGS STANDARD OIL INVESTIGATION

Be Conducted by Garfield Under Eight night. Gold medals will be given for Heads, Each to Be Covered by Ten Questions.

Topeka, Kan., April El.-James R. | field their connection with the freight Carfield, commissioner of corpora- traffic in the west, as they are anxious tions, who is investigating methods of to be set right about oil rates. the Standard Oil company, today held J. W. Parker, secretary of the Kana conference with General Manager II. sas Oil Producers' association, came U. Mudge of the Atchison, Topeka & to Topeka in answer to a telegram

Santa Fe, alloging conspiracy with the in which the commissioner was prom-Standard Oil company in regard to oil iscd that the oil producers of Kansas rates was discussed. General Mana- would do all they could to aid the inger Mudge supplied the commissioner vestigation. with a large amount of information as to rates on oil.

Other leading railroad men will into eight departments, each to be meet Mr. Garfield. It is said that covered by answers to 10 questions, railroad managers welcome the oppor- These questions are known only to Soap. They have discarded the old-short notice. Quarry phone 809,

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tunity of telling Commissioner Gar- Mr. Garfield and his assistants. THE TRUTH ABOUT GROCERIES. Don't worry about housecleaning when you can save yourself much WHY NOT BUY WHERE YOU needless work for a nickel. A bar of "Easy Task" Soap from your grocer THE RIGHT PRICES, THIS YOU CAN DO BY TRADING AT DI- will make dirt disappear like magic MOND BROS. FOR THIS WEEK and leave only cleanliness and good health. Don't you think it's worth

12e Tomatoes for..... 9c "Easy Task" Soap is more than 12c Peas for.,9c soan; it beautifies your laces and your lineus; it imparts a luster to and Corn and Tomatoes, 3 cans your glassware, filling a place where for 25e ordinary soap is most unsatisfactory. Ib can Baked Beans7c When you ask your grocer for a bar l lb good Y, Hyson Tea......22c of "Easy Task" you have made a

Commissioner Garfield has deelded,

it is said, to divide his investigation

OFFICERS

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION DEECT-

ED,-INTERESTING SES-SION TUESDAY AFTER-

At the W. C. T. U. meeting Tuesday afternoon there was a goodly turn out of representative women. The chief with fever upon his return from a interest in the meeting centered in rip south several weeks ago, and who the election of an executive board has since been confined to his bed, to take charge of the work along the line of health, to make life happier and better for all working mothers and girls. The following vermen were

elected: Mrs. Matilda Movre, president. Mrs. N. L. Michael, vice president. Mrs. Clayton, Miss Kate Rielly. Mrs. Dr. F. G. Steuber, Mrs. John Berryman, secretary.

Mrs. Pennell, treasurer. At the meeting of the committee next Friday an advisory board will Mr. G. E. Dunn has removed his be selected. The work is progressing second hand store from 502 north favorably and the public will hear from it.

SOCIAL

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Pather John's Medicine

cured me of catarrh and my father of asihma. We take It regularly and are feeling better every day .-- Josephine

Mrs. A. T. McDonald Saturday, April 14th, Two un'il four. Mrs. Ralph C. Warner.

For Mrs. Warner. Mrs. George Vicary will entertain omorrow afternoon for airs. Ralph Warner, of California,

Mr. George Bremmer, of the Lima ocomotive Works, has gone to Portland, Oregon, to attend the World's Fair. Mr. Bremmer took with him one of the large engines from the Loomotive Works and from there will go to Puget Sound on business.

Mr. Mat Coulter, a former Lima oy, will be seen here Saturday night 'The Minister's Sweethearts."

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MASQUERADE BALL

Prof. Finley Will Give Another Masguerade and Dancing Contest April 26th.

Mr. E. C. Finley will give his annual lancing contest and masquerade ball at the Auditorium, Wednesday April 26th, which is two weeks from last he most graceful couple in dancing and prizes for the most comic and fanciest costumes. Frey's full orchestra will furnish the music.

CASE SETTLED.

ittorney, S. S. Wheeler, of Lima, made a settlement this morning with Alma Ross, the little daughter of Cyrus Ross, who was hurled from a buggy and lost one foot at the Wall street crossing while driving to town. from Govenor Hoch. Mr Parker and for the sum of twenty-five hundred It is said that the suit against the Mr. Garfield had a long talk last night dollars and all the expenses attending upon the accident. The child was represented in the transaction by her father who was for the purpose made her guardian by Judge Sweet .- Van Wert Bulletin,

Thousands of thinking women in

CROSSING PETITION.

S. S. Wheeler, of Lima, the Pennsylvania company's legal advisor in his district, announced, while here his morning on a business trip, that the railroad company will proceed at once to erect a safety gate at the Washington street crossing and that it together with the other seven gates A. T. of L. will be present. will be put in service at the earliest iate possible.-Van Wert Bulletin.

Cleanse your system of all impuriies this month. Now is the time to ake Hollister's Rocy Mountain Tea will keep you well all summer. 35 ents, Tea or Tablets.

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BASE BALL EXCURSIONS. The C., H. & D. Ry. Co., will have a

rate of \$3,90 to Cincinnati and return April 15th on regular trains.

The first Sunday Excursion will be April 23rd. Rate \$1.50.

WANTED-I have a few good positions for young men or women. Carrie J. Sturgoen, 224 North two days' session at this place this West St., Lima.

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The Patterson Examination will be held on the 3rd Saturday of April (15) and the 2nd Saturday of May *****

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

CIRCUIT COURT WILL HAND DOWN SOME DECISIONS

NEXT TUESDAY.

The Circuit Court went into executive session this morning and will so remain until next Tuesday when a number of decisions will be handed

THE BRASS BED

In our show window is the finest ever brought to Lima. It was exhibited at the World's Fair at St. Louis and will be on exhibition here for two weeks. We want everybody to see it. The price of this bed is \$350. Stop and see it. F. E. Harman. WE WANT

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NOTICE,

The Lima Trades and Labor Council will meet at their hall in the Duffield Block tonight, all delegates are bound placed her at the top notch requested to be present. Mr. Stork, organizer of Railroad Merchants, will speak. Mr. Jones, Gen. Organizer of

By order of Pres.

CONFERENCE AT WAUSEON

ING OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES-SERMON BY AL-BERT MARION HYDE.

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEET-

Wauseon, April 13 .- The thirtyrighth annual meeting of the Toledo must be of good character. Address Congregational conference closed a evening. The conference sermon delivered

by the Rev. A. M. Hyde, of Toledo, on Tuesday evening, was one of the most powerful sermons ever delivered in Wauseon. Rev. Hyde took as

One of the interesting numbers or Tuesday evening's program was a violin solo by Master Frank S. Kenyou, son of the Rev. Kenyon of the Wauseon church. He is but 15 years of age, but ranks among the best young violinists of the state.

The program of Wednesday had among its speakers the Revs. Allen, Higgenbothan and Colton, of Toleda. and the Rev. Swanson, of Lima. The following officers were elect

ed for the ensuing year: Moderator, Rev. 1. J. Swanson, of Lima; secretary, Mr. Whitman of West Millgrove: register, Rev. G. B. Brown, of To-



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which comes to the Faurot Opera House on Saturday afternoon and evening, is one of the season's most noted successes. Miss Bessie Clifton's portrayal of "Daisy," the awkward, gawky country girl, has at a of successful stars. It is around this character the plot is laid and the humorous aspects are always in the foreground of the hypocritical old deacons and the gossip church women! because of the young minister's up-todate ideas of right and wrong, the interview in which the deacons express their opinion of each other, the inging and dancing of "Daisy" and many other scenes have their ludierous side. The denonument also gives satisfaction. Lusky Jim, acquitted of all crime, appears as his proper self and "Daisy" as an acomplished young woman. The scheming lawyer loses the property he

combinations. Special scenery is used for the entire production. At Philadelphia April 8th, a 10 lb baby boy was born to Rev. N. R. Melhorn and wife all doing fine..

CHORUS.

Friday evening April the 14th at Enworth Church, under the direction of J. L. Bowdle, a Chorns of 75 voices assisted by the Watson orchestra will cantata by Chas. H. Gabriel. This

is of high merit and the best talent of our City secured to render succial parts. All music lovers should "The Minister's Sweetheart" avail themselves of this opportunity. Admission 25 cents.

NOTHING

WRONG WITH PEARSON, JUDGE MILLER SAYS HE IS SANE.

Cooney Pearson, who was recently arrested on the charge of stealing brass and bound over to the grand jury, was taken before Judge Miller, this morning on a lunacy charge. The Judge found him all right mentally and sent him back to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury

ADVANCE OF SOUTH LIMA OIL

The Manhattan Oil company, supposed to be independent of the Standfraudulently possesses and his daugh- ard, which is represented in the opter, after all her manoeuvering, loses crating department in the middle west the young minister, who has been by the Ohio Oil company on Tuesday, forced by his high moral ideals to be- at Findlay, O., offered a premium of come engaged to her, while really lov- 6 cents on South Lima oil, advancing ing Daisy, who loves him in return, the price of that crude I cent above The company supporting Miss Clif- North Lima. This action on the part ton is one of the strongest of road of the Manhattan was immediately followed by the Standard making a cut of 2 cents on crude and also make ing a slash in refined all over the eastern states.

> The Manhattan Oil company has just started taking Indiana oil. The new pumping station of that company has only been operating a few days and several leases are already connected with its lines. The agents of the Manhattan are contracting now to take oil from various leases as soon as the new lead line can be run into the Selma and Parker field.

Whether or not the Manhattan will pay a premium for the deep pay Indiana oil the same as it is now pays ing for the oil in Hancock county, Ohio, is uncertain, but the operators render "The Nazarene" a sacred feel that something may be doing along this line, so they are watching developments closely.

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The Buckeye and Indians pipe line bas for March averaged 59.917 harwis and the shipments averaged 67. to burcels a day. This is a decline lean the February returns of 2. do harreis.

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nd had been pumping water alone nul Pelday evening last.

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ed yesterday. There is considerable rater in the por and it requires condifferable pumping to beduce it. J. H. (Sause is completeing a good

odding well on the northeast portion is the best looking well be has tinished for morths.

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REFUSES TO DISCUSS

A special telegram from New York says that President Ramsey, who is in New York to attend a meeting of the Wabash audiroad directors this infloration, refuses to discuss the alleged Ann Arbor-Cincinnati, Hamil- from Bryon to this city during the purchased the Ann Arbor and will tors a right of was from the Ohioirit. The correspondent says furth. Indiana line to Fort Wayne for the that a syndicate has sold, or is about ly, but at no point will they be used. to sell, the control of the Aun Arbor.

possibly to the Pennsylvania. He says alleling the highways. further that information obtained in New York is to the effect that the Wabash gever owned a controlling luterest in the Ann Armos but that a syndicate has been Leting for the Gould interests, and that it looks as though some one in the syndicate had them out. In all probability the symplectic reserved we is a St. Louis trust company, which, at the solicitation of the Gould interests, adtrep send, to wells were completed vanced \$100,000 to secure an outton m the Ann Arbor.

The foregoing will be seen reported the belief in Torde that the Fennsylvania is seeking control of the Ann Arbor, with a view strengthening Wis position in the

Thinks it May Be the Pennsy. A well informed millroad man holds towiship. Wood county, Obib. two to the opinion that Pennsylvania inmore wells have been added to the terests are negotiating for purchase process list. The first was put to land control of the Ann Arbor, He of Johns by Beatly & Tulier. It is believes that the Fennsylvania sees sediled with 98 berrels. The second the need of the Ann Arbor as a feed-Shirley's No. 2. Witten farm, which or for northwest business, especially is reported doing a tank a day. No. since the Great Central alliance has 2 on this farm is in the sand! No. 2 diverted a large amount of traffic is being pumped with 3 inch stuff, from the Pennsylvania to the C. H. & D. If the Pennsylvania is really in the deal, it means that the Ann Ar-On the Blaines farm, the Eastern bur will continue to be operated very Ill and Gas company completed an much as at present, and likely, un- to be paid off at the rate of \$54,000 der the present set of officers. Some years ago the Pennsylvania acquired will be publ on deferred payments interest in the Grand Bapids and in- The total cost of the new equipment Sidefey's No. 1. Halbrath, was tub- diana, and yet it is operated entirely [will be \$1:200.711 and it will include as a road separate from the Pennsylvania organization, the idea of the Februariania being to shiply con-

trol the traffic. Prominent representatives in New of the Tobias form in Oregon towns Vork of the controlling interest of the hip. Fishingen Bowman says that present C. H. and D. system say ithat there is no truth in the report of the experis now engaged in examining the hrances of the company John H. Ware, of Findley, went out is ratisfactory to the would-be nur-Paolo, Kansas, where they have a clasers, it will not be sold, at least

"From reports which have been reprived during the past two days if can be said they the pool which was recently formed in the stock of the Chover Leat railroad has been closed out with a pount to the participants of the spick has been unfouded upon the mainly, although the interests which have been back of the comany are still in control of the property. It is understood that a good arrion of the stock has been bought of the interests in control with the ntention of setting all of their holdngs to the syndicate which was back | of the C., H. and D. janil Pere Marquette. The only interest these people had in huying the Clover Leaf. however, was to turn it over to the Hele, together with the other two cy Herbert; monarchs of melo-dramic best to a financial inspection. It is do, a and that this did not turn out about method was dispatred of and cents.

Leaf was also permitted to expire This left the Clover Leaf people with good sized block of stock on hands which they did not care to possess, hence the pool was formed for the loading it. This was done at figures round 45. A short time before the resent interests got possession of the Clover Leaf the control of the property was offered to the Vanderblits as 12%. Cleveland men are largely incrested in both Clover Leaf and C. II. and D.

Extension of the T & 1

Fort Wayne, Ind., April 13.-There are indications that before long Fort Wayne will connect with Toledor by trolley, an extension of the Toledo & Indiana. A survey for the projected Thie has already been made between Bryan and Hicksville, and surton & Dayton deal, and omelals of the present year. The commissions of latter company say they have not this county have granted the projecroad. It will hug the highways close The company is purchasing land pair-

Leipsic, April 13 .- Some little difagreed that he case the line was not built in two years the deed to the land would become null and void. Harman P. and Elizabeth Smith are platinging and the Weslern Ohio Ruttway company and the Savings and Trust company, of Cleveland, defondants, and the cause is to outer fille in a case recently filed. Defendants failed to comply with the contract

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TELEPHONIC ROMANCE

By AMY DUPREE

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"Two hundred thirty-four I don't answer," said central, ringing off, but before she could lean back for an instant's breathing spell 719 M called her "Central, why can't I get my house?"

"I'm sure I don't know," she answered, with a suspicion of laughter in her "I'll bet those confounded servants

are gossiping down in the basement. Ring 'em again, and ring 'em tike thunder."

Central obeyed his orders energetically, but without results:

gently to the trate man at the other Dickson was surprised to catch her end of the line, "but I'll try them again in a few minutes, and if I get an answer I'll call you up. No, I won't forget," she said, almost before the man had uttered his warning. "I know you call the house every morning from your office."

"Thank you," said the man, much mollified. "Those servants are so careless, and my niece, who looks after the children, is confined to her room by illness."

Circleville's telephone system was not very complicated. The three girls who presided in the central office were not kept occupied as in a larger city because this was a new institution in the pretty inland city and subscribers were not coming in fast enough to satisty the telephone company. Only one of the girls hailed from Circleville. The other two were from Chicago, and it was Margaret Baxter, one of the Chicago girls, who had answered Mr. Dicksen's imperative calls.

For the next few minutes she was kept busy plugging in and out on her board. But all the time a queer little smile hovered about her lips and a

light almost tender shone in her eyes. "It would be very funny," she said to herself, "if it should all be straightened out by telephone, and I would not be at all surprised it that is just what Jack hoped for." Then she turned suddenly and rang up 234 J.

A rather thick voice with a distinct brogue answered this call with a sullen "Hello." Margaret's face turned grave and firm lines showed about her

"Why has no one answered the telephone?" she said rather sternly. "I have been ringing you on and off for fifteen minutes."

"Sure I've somethin' to do beside runnin' up them stairs to answer this bell. It's a wonder a woman can't eat ber breakfast in peace." Margaret connected 234 J with 719

M. sighing softly to herself, "Poor Charley and his babies at the mercy of that woman," The conversation at the wire claimed her attention. There were reasons

why she felt she had a right to listen.

"Hello, Mary, is this you?" "Yes, sir,"

"How is Master Reginald?"

"What did he eat for his breakfast?" "A peach, a bowl of rice and milk and five cakes."

"Now, Mary, I've told you repeatedly not to let him have hot cakes." "Then, sir, you'll have to stay at

cook I am and no nurse." "Well, well," said the man anxiously, as one who realized he was in a ington, Idaho, Montana, on sale predicament and needed the good will

of every one. "I'm sure while Miss September 15th to October 31st. Ellen is sick you will look after the children, and I will not forget it when l pay you next week." This bit of diplomacy elicited no

reply from the other end of the wire. "Has Miss Bessie gone to school?"

"She has not. Sure the string's off her hood and one of her rubbers is lost entirely, and I told her she'd best stay home till her Aunt Ellen could

get about." "Dear, dear," said the man, and a prodigious sigh seemed to choke his

utterance. "Is that all, siry" said the woman impatiently.
"I guess so," he replied reluctantly

and hung up his receiver. At her end of the wire the woman slammed up the receiver with a crash which made central flush just a bit angrily. Clump, clump, clump, she went down the basement stairway to meet a look of inquiry on the face of her bushand, gardener and man of all work for Henry Dickson, president of

the Excelsion Hardware company. "Sure, it's the same old thing," she said snappishly as she tossed the soap into the dish pan. "Frettin' his soul their frolic and gone to bed I-well, we out about those two children. It's no will explain this matter to you." place for me and you, This. Either the old man or the young un ought to son's dancing eyes to Margaret Baxmarry. What with church and par- ter's flushed face and remarked dryly: thies and a fly be night nature into the bargain, Miss Elien's no good at ali, at Miss Buxter is finishing that goblin ell. When she's in the house she's in story you had better telegraph to Aunt

out of the house." ·Tim shook his head and marched out to the stable, and Mary turned to face a shrinking little figure in the door

"I want to sit behind the stove, Mary. There's no fire in the library, and I'm cold all over."

"I'll bet the young un's goln' to be sick," said Mary as she made room for the child on the wood box behind the stove. "She ought to had on her warm finnels last weak. Sit there, dear, whilst I tell you about the fairles Paddy O'Olyn met on his way to Donegal

The man at the other end of the line

had been lesuing back in a chair, stertig up at the ceiling. Finally he called his stenographer and distated a letter. It was addressed to tharks Dickson.

and wound my as follows: "While you're in Chicago I wish you would stop in to see your nunt Mary Graves. Things are not going right at the house, I fear. Ellen is too frivolous. and fond of society to do what is entirely right by us and the children.

than no time."

But even with the letter started on its way Mr. Dickson felt uneasy. Aunt Mary was capable, but was she sympathetic enough to deal with those children? He recalled the gentle ways and the fair face of the dead daughterwould wave her hair about her face and smile once in awhile. But she was better than the more uncertain element he had dreaded-a stepmother for his beloved grandchildren.

And all the time Margaret Baxter sat In front of the switchboard, plugging the facks and thinking. Just before he "I can't get any answer," she said closed up his desk to go home Mr. voice with a new, almost friendly ac-

"Is this Mr. Dickson?"

"Yes." "Shall I call Mary and tell her to have the children come down to meet You...

Mr. Dickson lived some distance bealways drove down in the runabout to meet him. It never struck him as odd that the telephone girl knew of his dally habit. Perhaps she lived in the neighborhood. He answered in a relieved tone:

"Yes; I'd forgotten to call her." "And if you didn't call her she wouldn't remember, would she?"

"No, no," agreed the man: "these servants are a great trial." Then as central rang off he murmured to himself: "There's a girl who will make a fine business woman some day. I would not mind having her in my office."

And, though he could never tell fust how it happened, from that time on it was central who had the trying conversation with Mary until Miss Elien got bout, and after that with Miss Eller herself, merely giving him a condensed report of the conversation. This saved his time, which was valuable, and it pleased his fancy that some one appreciated his absorbing interest in the children.

That was why he had a bouquet of flowers sent up to the telephone exchange one day and a box of candy another. Several times he was tempted to call in person, but he finally decided that seeing the girl face to face might prove a distillusion. Faces and voices do not always harmonize, and yet he thought of the great relief it was to recelve messages from central instead of irate Mary or butterfly Ellen. He felt. sure that this particular voice stood for a face fair and womanly. Then he would recall a recent letter from his son, Aunt Mary would come for-a consideration.

But finally an inspiration came to him. Reggie was having a birthday, Eilen, with characteristic heedlessness had forgotten this important event and had arranged to join a house party for the very night. But this should not siand in the way of a proper observance of the occasion. Reggie should have a birthday spree, and the guest of honor should be this central girl, with whom the two children had held many little talks across the wire.

She accepted the invitation sent in Reggie's name. She rode out in the renabout driven by the suspicious Tim, who had made unpleasant remarks to his wife about old fools and pretty girls. And she finally entered the door opened by Mr. Dickson himself. He gave a sigh of relief, which was

drowned in the tumultuous greetings of the children. She was just what he had dreamed of, but what he had not dared to hope for. They had a merry evening, and when the two children were sitting down, one on either side of her, to hear what Reggie described as corking goblin stories, the sound of a laichkey fell upon Mr. Dicksen's

ear. He rose uncertainly: so did Margaret Baxter, and so did the two children. And that was the scene apon which entered Charles Dickson, general representative for the Excelsior Hardware company, just returned from a hard trip on the road. He looked at his father, who flushed. He looked at Margaret Baxter, who smiled. He looked at the two children, who shrieked simultaneously and made a rush at him. When he had escaped from their embraces his father started to make

the necessary introduction, but the younger man waved him aside. "I have known Margaret for some time-in fact, long before you knew her. When the children have finished

Mr. Dickson, Sr., looked from his "It won't be necessary. And while bed, and when she's not in bed sne's Mary. Tell her she need not come, We've changed our minds,"

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A New York physician gives the foilowing as his ideas of the pace that kills:

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The first important change on the Rutland Railroad since the Central-Hudson Company took control went into effect today. The flyer which heretofore left Rutland at 2 p. m. and arrived in Troy at 4:20 will run to Albab, instead of terminating the trip at Troy. This does away with Your aunt Mary is a capable woman transferring passengers to the local and would pull things together in less belt line for Albany.

This will prove a great convenience to travellers as the connection with the tast trains from Albany will be more certain and the time to New York and the West shortened. No doubt this change will soon be folin-law. He wished somehow Aunt Mary lowed by closer reverse connections and additional conveniences and the summer zehedule will be much improved and time shortened, Indeed it is with pride that we can now

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LEGAL NOTICE,

Lucy Morris, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Elmer W. Morris, as plaintiff, filed his petition against said Lucy Morris, as defendant, on the 1st day of April, 1905, in the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Allen, State of Ohio, the object and prayer of which said petition is to procure a decree of divorce by said Elmer W. Morris against said Lney Morris. The ground upon which said divorce is asked is that said Lucy Morris committed and was guilty of the crime of adultery in the month of September 1902, and at other times in the years 1902 and 1903. Said Lacy Morris is required to ap-

pear and answer to said petition on or gefore the first day of June 1905, or said petition will be taken as true and a judgment and decree granted by said court in accordance with the prayer thereof.

Elmer W. Morris, Plaintiff. .ima, Ohio, April S, 1905. Horace A. Reeve, Lima. Ohio,

Attorney for Plaintiff, 2 85-64

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